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FROM LEVIN

1. HAVE REVIEWED FOOD-MONITORING ISSUES HERE AND CONCLUDED THAT ADHERENCE TO REPORTING FORMAT OUTLINED REF (C) NECESSARY TO SATISFY CURRENT AID/W CONCERNS. U.S. DONATED STOCKS PRESENTLY LOCATED IN FOLLOWING DISTRIBUTION CENTERS SHOULD BE INSPECTED: KAYES, NIORO, SEGOU, MOPTI, GOUNDAM (DIRE), TIMBUCTU (KABARA), GOURMA-RHAROUS, BOUREM, GAO, ANSONGO, DOUMENTZA, SIKASSO, AND BAMAKO. NEXT STATUS REPORT UNCLASSIFIED

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DUE JUNE 15 SHOULD COVER AS MANY AS POSSIBLE OF ABOVE CEN-

TERS.

2. WITH RESPECT TO CORRECTIVE MEASURES THAT MAY BE NECESSARY WHERE GRAIN STOCKS ARE THREATENED BY SEVERE INFESTATION OR POOR STORAGE HANDLING, THERE IS FULL AWARENESS HERE THAT THESE MEASURES CANNOT BE IMPLEMENTED OVERNIGHT ESPECIALLY WHERE CO-MINGLED STOCK SITUATION CALLS FOR MULTI-DONOR/OSRO COORDINATED APPROACH. IN SUCH CASES AN EXPLANATION OF VARIOUS CONSTRAINTS--TOGETHER WITH PROPOSED COURSE OF ACTION--WILL SUFFICE FOR INITIAL JUNE 15 REPORT.

3. VISUAL INSPECTION OF U.S. STOCKS BY CDO STAFF MEMBER IS PRINCIPAL ELEMENT OF CURRENT FOOD-MONITORING REQUIREMENTS THROUGHOUT SAHEL. FOR THIS REASON FFPO SHOULD ENGAGE SHORT-TERM CONTRACTUAL ASSISTANCE (E.G., TERMINATING PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEERS) IF MONITORING REQUIREMENTS CANNOT BE MET BY PRESENT CDO STAFF. IF FFPO TRAVELING OUTSIDE BAMAKO THIS WEEK, ACTING CDO SHOULD UNDERTAKE REQUIRED RECRUITING EFFORT.

4. FOR DISCUSSIONS HERE, I WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING BY JUNE 5 CABLED ITINERARY OF FOOD INSPECTION TRIPS TO BE MADE DURING JUNE. INGERSOLL

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